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San Francisco Hall at Shanghai on the 16th inst. was a great success.

Particulars of the 1st Chinese Regiment for Weihaiwei is found on Page 5.

Yokohama now contains a stock of goods imported to furnish the new tariff, for in excess of any demand likely to spring up within the next few months.

The maximum temperature last month was 79.7, on the 1st, and the minimum 59, on the 15th, the mean for the month being 62.1. The rainfall amounted to 0.025 in. There were 264 hours of sunshine.

The houses at the hill at Kobo occupied by Mr. Clapp and Mr. Gouss were burnt down on the 6th. Mr. Clapp was insured for 5,000 yen in the Hongkong Fire. The other insurances were in home offices, the Northern and the Imperial.

The Telegraph Companies issued a notice to-day that telegrams to Manila containing political news or references are subject to censorship by the United States Authorities there, and can only be accepted at the sender's risk.

H.R.H. Prince Henry of Prussia, accompanied by H.R.H. the Princess, and by Colonel The O'Gorman, visited the C.P.R. steamer Empress of China (Capt. Archibald), this forenoon. Their Royal Highnesses were taken off on the Company's launch by Captain Tillot (marine superintendent of the Company), and the Prince made a thorough inspection of this fine vessel. H.R.H. went right through the engine-room, tunnels, and dynamo room, and expressed himself as more than pleased with the ship both outside and inside.

CHANG KUEI-YU, who was degraded after the war with Japan, has, on the recommendation of Jung Lu, been restored to favour, and had an audience the other day.

The Tientsin correspondent of the N.Y. Daily News wrote on the 12th inst.—Li Hung-chang is reported to be on his return trip, but unless he has invalidated himself back to the capital, I think the rumour arises in a wind blown by rumour, and, as usual, conjunctive. The accounts that reach Tientsin, through misapprehension, and therefore, trustworthy channels are that the 1898 eruption of 'China's Sorow' is one of the very worst on record.

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SEVERE GALE IN ENGLAND.

A terrific gale occurred in England on Thursday, causing immense damage and the interruption of the telegraph service.

THE TYPOON WARNING.

The Consul General of the United States of America at Hongkong, Mr. R. Wildman, courteously sends us the following warning:—

MASSILL OBSERVATORY, Jan. 15, 7 o'clock a.m.

Depression moving West. Has caused Playas Islands will enter China Sea this morning.

The same tempest has been continuously forwarded to us by Don José de Navarro, Consul for Spain.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:—

On the 15th at 11 45 a.m. The barometer has fallen on the China coast. The high pressure area is probably central over Corea. Gradients moderate with fresh monsoon on the coast, and in the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast—fresh N.E. winds; fair.

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The eighth ordinary annual meeting of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Co., Limited, was held to-day in the office of the General Managers, Messrs Meyer and Co. Mr. J. G. Schroter presided. The other gentlemen present were:—Messrs O. von der Heyde, J. Orange, C. Rogers, H. Ehmer, C. Schroter, G. E. Hargreaves, N. K. Kwek, A. C. Rookstroben and F. Henderson.

The notes of meeting having been read, The Chairman said—Gentlemen, the report together with the accounts for the last year—has been in your hands for several days, and in the usual way I may be permitted to take them as read. I do not think any explanation is necessary for the accounts as they have been made up in the same manner as before and are easily understood. I need only add that Messrs Palmer & Turner held the annual survey of our property at the close of the year and report in the same state of repair as last year, and also that this grant commenced on the 1st of the 11th moon (13th December last)—N.Y. Daily News.

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THE YELLOW DWARF.

The fifth performance of 'The Yellow Dwarf,' like its predecessors, attracted a crowded house. 'Standing Room Only,' night after night, is a sufficient guarantee that success has been well earned and fully achieved. The story may be of the slightest, but no one can quarrel with the character of the thread on which the jewels are strung.

THE PHILIPPINE CRISIS.

A SOLUTION PROPOSED. To-day, the Rev. Dr. Clay Macaulay gave us the benefit of his ideas on the Philippine crisis. Dr. Macaulay takes a very liberal, patriotic and broad-minded view of the situation, and has addressed a long letter to President McKinley with the desire that a rational policy may be adopted that will be agreeable alike to the Philippines and to the people of the great American Republic. He says:—

As a result of a study of the situation at Manila, I think there are now only three ways open to the United States for the solution of the Philippine problem.

In the first place, the Islands might be annexed by force or purchase. The use of force means that the United States will be plunged into the most disastrous foreign war in their history, a war that would entail great loss of life and treasure and the violation of our national honour. Purchase means the recognition of the insurgents as our allies during the war with Spain, the reward of the leaders with high office and salaries, the employment of insurgents in military and civil offices, with last pay as allies for some months, &c. Such purchases would secure a compromising gain of doubtful tenure. Generally speaking, the Americans in Manila are opposed to annexation in any form.

The second way open to us is to make a complete transfer of the sovereignty in these islands from Spain to the Philippine Republic, the United States retaining for its own use Manila Bay and ports—like Hongkong by Great Britain. This solution means the defenceless exposure of the Philippine Islands to the greed of the world's Powers, with a consequent acute crisis in Europe over its Far Eastern questions. This way is neither honourable nor wise.

The third is to recognise the autonomy of the Philippines under an American protectorate. This means independence for the Philippines in its own internal affairs, the United States taking charge of the supreme judiciary and the Republic's foreign relations, such as the power to declare war or to enter into treaties with Foreign Powers, the control of the Customs, etc. This solution might bring about tutelage towards absolute independence in the future or voluntary annexation to the United States.

Only by the third way can there be peace and prosperity for both the United States and the Philippines.

THE PHILIPPINE SIDE OF THE QUESTION.

We have shown this outline of policy to a gentleman who has identified himself very closely with the Philippine cause, and is therefore well aware of the aspirations of the Filipino nation. While welcoming Dr. Macaulay's wise contribution to the discussion, he assures us that on no consideration will the Philippines surrender the control of the Customs. To the customs they look for their principal source of revenue, and are determined to have the service entirely divorced from the American system.

They will guarantee the United States a fixed annual sum in payment for the protection given by the U.S. naval squadron in Philippine waters, but they wish to have complete financial as well as political independence.

Two of the verses sung in the topical song by the King and Queen were as follows:—
Hongkong's own fighting Tommy's been away in the Japan.
For a very, very, long time;
And though, of course, we miss him,
We've managed 'till he came.
And can do so for a long long time.
He's the only politician that the Colony can boast.
And he does his little best to get the Government on track.
So the Government officials, why of course they miss him most.
And they hope to for a long, long time.
There's a son of dear old Erin who's been out here in Hongkong.
For a very, very, long time.
Three times for good he left us, but we couldn't spare him long.
We had to get him back each time.
When he conducts the show next door, the years are never long.
He's the 'harvest' financier that the East has ever seen.
Yes, when T. J. gets his laurels, he'll be worth 'till the green.
For a very, very, long time.

This week there will be three performances of which particular note will be found in our columns. All the children in the Colony will do well to give papa and mamma no rest till they exact a promise to attend or send them on Saturday afternoon at 3.30, that they may see how beautiful their playmates and friends look and sing and dance on the stage.

About seven o'clock on the 9th inst., a fire occurred in a Chinese shop in Seavard Road, Hongkong. The Fire Brigades replied to the alarm with their usual promptitude, but despite their efforts in subduing the flames, no loss was done, the shops were totally destroyed. We believe the shops are Chinese-owned, and fully covered by insurance.—China Gazette.

We hear, (says the China Gazette), but do not vouch for it, that the Tung-tai Yamen has granted the request of the British Government for another settlement at Newchwang in place of the one granted away by the river. It is also said that the British have preferred a demand for a settlement next to the new British settlement, and it is believed it will be granted.

It is believed in well-informed circles, (says the China Gazette), that the question of the extension of the General Foreign Settlements and the passing of the New Land Regulations will receive a severe set-back in Peking as the sequel to the recent abortive demands of the French in Nan-king. Both may now be indefinitely postponed.

It was reported in local mandarin circles on the 7th inst. that a special secret edict was sent the day before from Peking to the Viceroy of Szechuan commanding him to send all available troops in that province against Yü Hsin-tzu, and that there must be no further delay in crushing that rebel and his followers. Penalties were threatened in case of failure to obey the special edict.—N.Y. Daily News.

DISPATCHES received by the local mandarins from Wuchang report risings amongst the people against the Christian converts of the following districts of Hupeh province, viz:—Iu, Iu Ichang, Kuang-chow, also in Ichang prefecture; Sung-shih, in Chichou prefecture; and Putung on the borders of Hupeh and Szechuan provinces. The local authorities of the various districts are stated to be on the alert and are giving that protection they can to the converts pending the arrival of reinforcements from Wuchang.—N.Y. Daily News.

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The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, 26th January, to THURSDAY, 28th January, (both days inclusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the
HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD.
General Agents for the
West Point Building Co., Ltd.
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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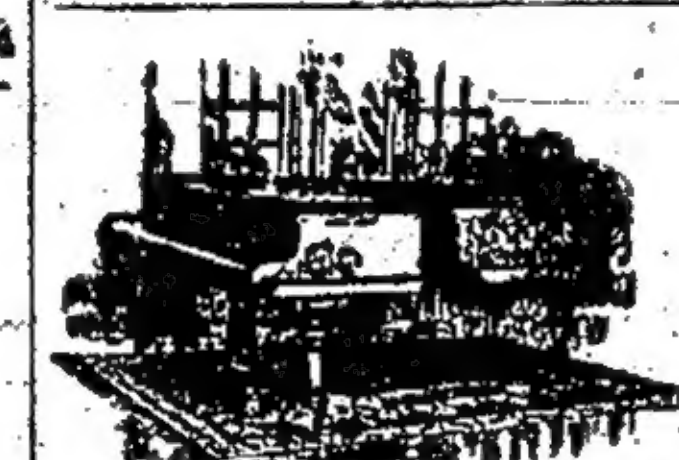
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JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER,
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(NOTICE OF CALL).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a MEETING of the Board of Directors of the above Company held at No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Victoria, Hongkong, on the 6th day of December, 1898, the following Resolution was passed:—

That a FIRST and FINAL CALL of TEN DOLLARS (\$10) per SHARE, upon all the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company, in respect of all the SHARES held by them in the above Company, be and the same is hereby made. Such Call to be paid to the Company at their Bankers, the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 1st day of March, 1899.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LTD.,
General Agents for the
West Point Building Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, January 1, 1899.

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D. PICTON DAVIES,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND QUANTITY LAND SURVEYOR.

BOUNDARY SURVEYS, Sub-Division of Estates into Townships or Small Farms, Settlements, Drainage of Estates; Levels and Working Plans executed on moderate terms.

Drainage of City property and boundaries established in town receive careful and trustworthy attention.

Mr. DAVIES will TRAVEL and TRAVEL in RAILWAY ENGINEERING, LEVELLING and SURVEYING on Arrangements.

D. PICTON DAVIES,
Address: P.O. Box 111,
Care of Kowloon Institute.

Hongkong, December 6, 1898.

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